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SUBJECT: OBIT BERTRAND LYLE VAN AUKE

REF: STATE 33978 AND 37216; MADRID 1021 AND 1116

1. POST REPORTED THAT JUDGE HAD ORDERED IMMEDIATE BURIAL REMAINS BERTRAND LYLE VAN AUKE. WE DID NOT REPORT THAT BURIAL HAD TAKEN PLACE. IT HAS BEEN EMBASSY EXPERIENCE THAT THERE IS GENERALLY SOME UNDETERMINED PERIOD OF TIME BETWEEN JUDGE'S ORDER AND ACTUAL BURIAL. WE THEREFORE INCLUDED ESTIMATE FOR LOCAL BURIAL IN BELIEF THAT FAMILY OF DECEASED, IF LOCATED, SHOULD HAVE OPPORTUNITY FURNISH FUNDS FOR BURIAL REMAINS TO AVOID INTERMENT IN COMMON GROUND WHERE REMAINS UNMARKED AND NOT RECOVERABLE.

2. CONTENTS OF STATE 033978, INDICATING THAT DECEDENT'S SON CABLING FUNDS TO EMBASSY FOR LOCAL BURIAL WAS PROMPTLY PASSED TO SPANISH AUTHORITIES AND THEY WERE ABLE AT THE TIME TO AVOID BURIAL REMAINS OF BERTRAND LYLE VAN AUKE IN COMMON GROUND. AUTHORITIES WERE NOT ABLE, HOWEVER, TO DELAY BURIAL UNTIL 14TH OF FEBRUARY AS REQUESTED BY DECEDENT'S SON IN COMMERCIAL TELEGRAM TO EMBASSY AS JUDGE'S ORDER ALREADY IN PROCESS OF BEING CARRIED OUT.

3. IN VIEW OF FOREGOING WOULD APPRECIATE IF DEPARTMENT WOULD UNCLASSIFIED

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REMIND DECEDENT'S SON THAT BURIAL EXPENSES WERE INCURRED AND

THAT FUNDS FOR ESTIMATED COSTS (\$500) SHOULD BE FORWARDED
SOONEST.

4. EMBASSY AWAITING FULL INFORMATION FROM LOCAL AUTHORITIES
ON CAUSE, DATE AND CIRCUMSTANCES OF DEATH IN VAN AUKEER CASE
AND WILL INFORM FAMILY OF DECEASED WHEN RECEIVED.
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